

Outdoor Adventure Summer Camp

Parks and Recreation is offering 5 days of exciting outdoor adventure activities for youth ages 11-14! Participants will gain experience and confidence as they master skills in kayaking, canoeing, and rock wall climbing. As they navigate through the ropes challenge course, they will understand the value of teamwork and cooperation, all valuable life skills! We hope to instill an appreciation for the outdoors in each participant, while making the process stimulating and fun! Transportation provided by Harford County Parks and Recreation.

Monday: Ropes Challenge at Harford Glen



Tuesday: Canoeing Basics at Eden Mill Nature Center



Wednesday: Kayaking at Anita C. Leight Estuary Center

Thursday: Biking on the North Central Trail



Friday: Rock Climbing at Edgeley Grove



Ages: 11-14

Dates: July 16– July 20 or August 6– August 10

Times: 9:00am– 4:00pm

Fee: \$250

Registration: Forms online http://www.harfordcountymd.gov/parks_rec/, select “Countywide” (on left side) and scroll down to Outdoor Adventure Camp or call Kathy at 410-638-3572 to have them mailed to you. kehall@harfordcountymd.gov.

Space is limited so register early!

**HARFORD COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND RECREATION
OUTDOOR ADVENTURE CAMP 2012
REGISTRATION FORM**

Parks & Recreation is again offering the Outdoor Adventure Camp which includes 5 days of outdoor exploration, fun and learning. Designed for children ages 11-14, your child will be guided and challenged by our experienced staff at Harford County Parks and Recreation. They will gain an understanding and confidence as they master skills in kayaking, canoeing, exploring and rock wall climbing. Among other skills, they will learn the importance of working together in order to achieve the group's goal.

Each day offers a different experience

- *Monday**** Ropes Challenge Course at Edgeley Grove and/or Harford Glen.
- *Tuesday **** Canoe Basics at Eden Mill Nature Center
- *Wednesday **** Kayaking at Anita C. Leight Estuary Center
- *Thursday **** Biking along the Northern Central Railroad Trail (NCRT) ***Bring your own bike & helmet!***
- *Friday **** Rock Climbing Wall at Edgeley Grove

Cost per child is \$250.00 which is due with the completed registration & release forms. An additional bike or helmet fee is required if your child does not have their own bike and helmet for Thursday! Please make sure your child is prepared to pay this additional fee- Kids bike= \$14/day, Adult bike= \$20/day, Helmet = \$3/day or free with a bike rental. Rental prices do not include taxes.

Make check payable to "HARFORD COUNTY MD" and Mail forms & payment to: P&R Outdoor Adventure Camp, 702 N. Tollgate Rd., Bel Air MD 21014 **NO REFUNDS AFTER REGISTRATION**

Transportation will be provided from Kelly Fields in Bel Air to the various sites each day.

Select week below:

- ☐ Week 1: July 16-July 20, 2012-9am to 4pm ☐ Week 2: August 6-August 10, 2012 9am to 4pm

RELEASE/AUTHORIZATION

I hereby give permission for the applicant to participate in all program activities specified above, and agree to release Harford County, a body corporate and politic of the State of Maryland, its officers, employees, and agents, from all liability arising from any harm or injury incurred by the participation of my child in the program stated above.

Unless otherwise indicated by a parent in writing at the time of registration, photographs of participants may be taken while participating in these activities for use in publications. No personal information other than the participant's first name will be released under any circumstances. By way of copy or original of this form, I authorize the staff of Harford County Department of Parks & Recreation to obtain medical/hospital treatment for the above participant in the event of an emergency.

Name of Camper: _____

Address: _____

Age: _____ Birthday: _____ Contact Phone: _____

Print Parent's Name: _____ Parent's Signature: _____

Email Address: _____

For more information, please call Kathy at the P&R office 410-638-3572 or email her at kehall@harfordcountymd.gov

Harford County Department of Parks and Recreation
OUTDOOR ADVENTURE CAMP 2012

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF RISK
PARENT/GUARDIAN PERMISSION FORM

I hereby grant permission for my child/children listed below to participate in the Eden Mill Nature Committee, Inc. canoeing and biking activities during the week of July 16-July 20, 2012 or August 6-August 10, 2012.

I fully understand and acknowledge that: (a) risks and dangers exist in my child's use of Eden Mill Nature Committee, Inc. equipment and my child's participation in Eden Mill Nature Committee, Inc. activities which may result in injury, illness, death or damage to personal property caused by other participants, by accidents, or by the forces of nature or other causes, (b) risks and dangers may arise from foreseeable or unforeseeable causes including, but not limited to, selection of trail or river route, water level, weather conditions, risks of falling out of a canoe and such other risks, hazards and dangers that are integral to recreational activities that take place in a wilderness, outdoor or recreational environment and I hereby accept and assume these risks and dangers on behalf of my child/children participating in such activities.

I have been advised that my child/children must wear an approved personal floatation device at all times while on the water. I affirm that my child will not be under the influence of alcohol or controlled substances, and will not carry, use or consume these substances before or during his/her scheduled Eden Mill Nature Committee, Inc. activities. Any claims or dispute arising from my child's/children's participation in Eden Mill Nature Committee, Inc. activities or use of their equipment shall have venue exclusive in Harford County Maryland.

The above agreement shall be binding on my heirs, assigns, and Personal Representatives and my child's/children's heirs, assigns and Personal Representatives.

I HAVE READ THE ABOVE AND BY SIGNING THIS, AGREE IT IS MY INTENTION TO GRANT PERMISSION FOR MY CHILD/CHILDREN TO PARTICIPATE IN EDEN MILL NATURE COMMITTEE, INC. ACTIVITIES INCLUDING CANOEING AND BIKING, AND TO ASSUME ALL RISKS ASSOCIATED THEREWITH ON BEHALF OF MY CHILD/CHILDREN.

Program Name: Outdoor Adventure Camp Dates: July 16-July 20 or August 6-August 10, 2012

Parent's Signature

Print Your Name Above

Address

E-mail

Child's Name

Age

Child's Name

Age

OUTDOOR ADVENTURE CAMP PARENT/PARTICIPANT

ATTITUDE CONTRACT

2012

Due to the nature of our group-oriented activities in the Outdoor Adventure Camp, we have some simple expectations of the participants. Personal attitude, behavior and respect of others are imperative for this camp to be enjoyable and safe for everyone. Please remember that as camp staff, we have the right to request your child not participate in activities if he/she does not adhere to these guidelines which are as follows;

- I will approach each day with a positive attitude even if the activity I am doing is difficult;
- I will respect my fellow campers by listening to what they have to say as I am sure it is as important as what I have to say;
- I will not devalue others- NO PUT DOWNS;
- I will encourage other campers and work together as a team to accomplish our goals;
- I will respect my camp leaders and know that they are there for my safety;
- I will maintain a behavior that is appropriate throughout the week, including language;
- I will come to camp prepared and on time.

I understand that if my child's behavior is disruptive to the camp, the first time he/she will be given a verbal warning by the staff. The second time, a meeting with the child and parent will be mandatory. The third time the child will be removed from camp with no refunds.

Parent Signature: _____

Camper Signature: _____

Date: _____